

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of

WASHINGTON STATE REPUBLICAN
PARTY - FEDERAL ACCOUNT, and
AL SYMINGTON, as Treasurer,

MURs 4693, 4737 and 4868

DECLARATION OF RONALD
L. BOSI

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Ronald L. Bosi declares under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States as follows:

1. I am over the age of 18 years and competent to provide this declaration. I am the Senior Vice President of the National Bank of Tukwila.
2. As a Senior Vice President of the Bank, my duties include negotiation and approval of loans exceeding certain dollar thresholds.
3. In early 1998, the Washington State Republican Party approached the Bank to borrow approximately \$200,000.
4. In October 1994, the Washington State Republican Party had borrowed approximately \$100,000 from the Bank. I was not involved in that particular transaction, but it is my understanding the Washington State Republican Party deposited the loan proceeds to its federal account to avoid a shortfall in that account.
5. The Washington State Republican Party has been a customer of the National Bank of Tukwila since 1994. We consider the Party to be a very good credit risk. Based on our long-standing relationship with the Party, had it sought a loan in the \$285,000 range in October or November 1996, it is likely the Bank would have made a loan in that amount depending, of course, on collateral and deposit issues being satisfactory to the Bank. The Bank would also have been willing to make a loan to the Party at any time after that date had a request been made.

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DATED this 4 day of January, 1999.


Ronald L. Bosi

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